# FOUR ARE HELD IN

Fifth Is Indicted Following Killing of Willis

Fowler.

(Special to The News Scimitar.) PINE BLUFF, Ark., Dec. 13.— Hicks Riley, prominent man, charged with first-degree murder in connec-tion with the shooting of Willis Fow-ler here Wednesday night, came from Memphis and gave himself up to Sheriff Nicol, Sunday, and was placed in jail without ball.

L. W. Fowler, of Naples, Texas, arrived here Sunday morning and went at once to the Holderness went at once to the Holderness morgue, to view the body of the murdered man here known as Willis Chaney, and identified him as his son, Willis Fowler. Mr. Fowler sayy that he has ample means to prosecute the murderers of his son, and will use his energies and means to bringing to justice the parties 'e-sponsible for the young man's death.

sponsible for the young mand jury.
The Jefferson county grand jury,
in special session Saturday, dismissed the charges against Joe Bridges, Chester Bear, Leo Branton and Fay Koon and found indictments against James Reidinger and Hick Riley, charging them with murder in the first degree, and against Chas. Bruce, white, and Sonny Binns, as accessory before the fact. There is also another indictment but the warrant has not been served.

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Mr. Fowler was overcome with grief when he first saw the remains of his son, who he had not seen for several years, but after recovering his composure said that Willis was a minor when the world war began and wanted to enlist, but he advised him not to, but the boy did so under an assumed name, which he gave list an assumed name, which he gave I is parents in a letter from a camp in Georgia. Willis Fowler is survived by his parents, one sister and four brothers. One of the brothers is a mayal efficer at San Francisco.

Hicks Riley, the last man to be arrested in the case, is the son of William Riley, of Louisville, Ky, and Mrs. Mamie Hicks Riley, of Pine Bluff and Memphis, and is grandson of the late Capt. J. F. Hicks, the veteran steamboat man of Memphis and Pine Rilef. an assumed name, which he gave lis

#### **DEPUTY SHERIFF IS SLAIN** BY HOT SPRINGS MAN

Several Held Following Shooting Early Sunday.

(Special to The News Scimitar.)
HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 13.—
Deputy Sheriff Charles Cooper, aged
29 years, was shot and killed yesterday morning at Beach and Benton
streets, by L. D. Prentice, a driver for
the C. J. Horner company. The
tragedy is alleged to be the result
of a night of dissipation on the part
of Prentice, Cooper and others.
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of Prentice, Cooper and others.
Smith Brown, who stated he was from Temple, Texas, and claimed to have been "an innocent bystander." was shot in the left groin. His wound, while not considered at this time serious, is very painful.

Prentice was arrested a few minutes after the killing in his room at a lodging house on Benton street. The gun he is alleged to have shot Cooper with was found near Beach

Cooper with was found near Beach and Benton streets. Officers state it had been fired five times. He exit had been fired five times. He expressed his regret at having killed Cooper, and when asked why he had done so replied he had shot the officer because of the manner in which Cooper had approached him.

Locked up in the city jail and held in connection with the shooting are Harry Huston, aged 17 years, of Janesyille, Wis: Claude "Curley"

In connection with the shooting are Harry Huston, aged 17 years, of Janesville, Wis.; Claude "Curley" Hodges, aged 32 years, of Kenneth, Mo., and Odessa Scott, aged about 26 years, who up to within a short time ago lived with her mother and stepfather on their farm near Mountain Valley.

#### GIRL KILLS SISTER IN PLAY WITH SHOTGUN

Children Had Obtained Gun While Parents Were Away.

(Special to The News Scimitar.)
HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 13—
During the absence of their parents
from their home in the Oaklawn district, Gladys Nelson, Leona May Nel-

trict, Gladys Nelson, Leona May Nelson and their brother, obtained their father's single-barrel shotgun to shoot at tin cans.

The boy hit the target. The children were on the front porch of their home. Then Leona May asked permission to shoot. The younger sister took the gun, explaining ahe would "show them how to shoot."

She pointed the gun at her brother, who 'ran around the corner of the house. Then Leona May pointed the gun at Gladys, who told her not to full the trigger, as the gun was loaded Leona May did not heed the warning. She pulled the trigger. The gun went off and the centents of the shell entered the stomach of Gladys, killing her instantly. the shell entered the stomach of Gladys, killing her instantly.
Gladys is 12 years of age, Leona May is 16 years old. Parents of the children live on a farm about a mile from the city limits.

#### Girl Who Helped Capture Hamilton Is Given Warning

(Special to The N ws Scimitar.) WINONA, Miss., Dec. 13.—Mis WINONA, M.s., 1 ec. 13.—Miss Mary Dodd, who gave information to the authorities that led to the capture of the Clyde Hamilton "dandy bandit" gang, has received a number of letters of congratulation, some of warning and a few anonymous and threatening letters.

The following letter was mailed in Memphis, and carries a friendly warning:

"Dallas, Texas, 12-5-20.

warning:
"Dallas, Texas, 12-5-20.
"Dear Miss Todd, Winona, Miss.:
"Please do not accept any candy,
fruit or small packages through mail or express. I am in a position throw that you are in danger by a cepting such packages. On account of the information furnished Sheriff-Marshal Glenn for the capture of the bandit, Clyde Hamilton. Shaw and Kelly. Do not accept anything bul-less it is handed you my a personal

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"UNCLE SAM.
"Shelby Co., Mfs. 10."

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"I.O.O.F."

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"This is for your information.
"UNCLE SAM.
"Shelby Co., Mfs. 10."
"You are going to receive some Xmas packages. Be keerful, do not eat or tooch them.
"B.P.O.E.
"I.O.O.F."

### 45 Razor Wielders

GAINESVILLE, Fla., Dec. 13-Forty-five students of the University of Florida are indefinitely suspended as a result of a faculty investigation of the shaving of heads of lower classmen by members of the upper

Written pledges not to indulge in hazing are requested on matriculation at the university, and the faculty decided that the amateur barbers had violated their pledges.

### Tri-State News In Brief

SCOOBA, Miss.—The DeKalb Com-munity house was formally opened last week, and the progress was greatly enjoyed by every one of the assemblage present. A delicious free lunch was

COLUMBUS, Miss.—The city counci COLUMBUS, Miss.—The city council, at a special meeting, adopted a resolution providing for the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$52,500 for the purpose of purchasing ground on which to erect new buildings for the use of the Mississippi State College for Women. The issuance of these bonds was authorized by the qualified electors of Columbus at an election, and the land to be purchased has already been selected and options thereon secured.

UNION CITY. Tenn.— The Fulton Leader company sold the Fulton Leader last week to R. T. and J. H. Moore, who are experienced newspaper men. They will enlarge the Leader.

COLUMBUS, Miss.—R. T. Williams president of the First State bank, died here. He was the dean of local financiers, having been engaged in the banking business here for the past 50 years.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala, Cases agains 12 young men accused and indicted as night riders and who are charged with whipping Will Tipton a farmer, at Ryland, Ala., will be tried Wednesday in Madison county circuit court.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—The railionds in the southern rate division fixed by the interstate commerce commission, made much better showing, so far as the relation of their operating expenses and operating income may be taken as barometric, during September, the first month following the six-month guaranty period allowed by the government, than did the railroads in the Eastern division, according to a report received at the traffic bureau here.

CHATTANOGA. Tenn.—Headquarters of the Lord's Day alliance, embracing is Southeastern states, has been opened here with the Rev. L. Cochran Hunt, former pastor of Madisonville, Ky.. in charge, and organization throughout the jurisdiction will be carried on in churches and by committees.

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LITTLE ROCK. Ark.—Acting governor Ben E. McFerrin, against the wishes of Gov. Brough, according to the latter's secretary. Virgil G. Jordan, appointed Al C. Harroway county treasurer of Phillips county to fill the unexpired term of Amos Jarman, of Helena, who resigned because of tiness. Mr. Jarman was re-elected for the next two years, but according to Mr. Jordan, his place will be filled at the expiration of the present term either by appointment by Gov. Brough or by special election.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—A meeting of the executive committee of the state Republican committee, will be called early in January to select a successor to the late A. C. Remel, chairman of the state committee, according to H. L. Remmel, Republican national committeeman from Arkansas. The executive committee's selection will have to be ratified later by the full state committee, Mr. Remel said,

#### DEATHS.

SELLMER, Tenn.—Miss Eliza Ellis, aged 26 years, formerly of this county, was killed in an automobile accident Saturday near Hammond, Okla., and her remains were brought to Selmer for burial. At the time of her death Miss Ellis was principal of the Hammond high school. She was the daughter of Frank Ellis, a prominent farmer of this county and a niece of L. W. Ellis, an employe of the Memphis post-office.

SCOOBA. Miss.—News of the death of Miss Lois Snoddy at a hospital in Memphis was received here Thursday. She was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, and prior to her serious illness of several months ago was a teacher in the A. M. S. here. She had been elected for the coming year, but was not able at any time to take up her work.

COLUMBUS, Miss.—Mrs. Frances Moore, wife of James B. Moore, a well-known citizen of Ethelville, died at her home in that town. She was 78 years old, and death resulted from infirmities



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SCOOBA, Miss.—Up to Nov. 14, 2.017 bales of cotton had been ginned in Kemper county in comparison with 3.026 bales ginned at the same date last year. The cotton sold, though, has brought less than half the amount of money that the same amount brought last year. A great deal of it has been stored for a better price.

SCOOBA, Miss.—The DeKalb Community house was formally opened last week, and the progress was greatly enjoyed by every one of the assemblage.

RIPLEY, Miss,—Miss Beulah Chunn, who was teaching in the Sunshine school five miles west of Ripley, died at the home of her brother-in-law, Geo. Stanford, where she was making her home, while teaching the school. Hes remains were carried back to Pleasant Ridge, near the home of her father, in Union county, for interment.

BLUE MOUNTAIN, Miss.-Thomas Pord, of this county, died at his home, northwest of Blue Mountain. He is survived by a number of relatives and friends in Tippah.

CRYSTAL SPRINGS, Miss -- Oliver Haley, 49, a prosperous young farmer.
living three miles west of town, died
from an attack of pneumonia. He
leaves a wife and six children to mourn
his loss.

#### MARRIAGES

SELMER, Tenn.-Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wood announces the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lola Kathleen, to Leonard J. Kerr. of Millington, Tenn., the wedding to take place at her home in Selmer, Tenn., Dec. 21.

OKOLONA. Miss.—Mr. and Mrs. James Walter Smith, of this city, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Bonnidell, to Robert Lloyd Orr, of Birmingham, Ala. The

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wedding will take place in the First Methodist church in this city on Sat-urday, Dec. 25. Rev. Robert Clark, pre-siding elder of the Union City, Tenn-district, will perform the ceremony.

SCOOBA, Miss.—Miss Maggle Long and Robert Garner, of Southwest Kem-per, were married at the home of the bride, Rev. M. L. White performing the

PINE BLUFF, Ark.—Frank J. Michalak, of Pine Bluff, and Mra. Lizzle G. Brower, of Monroe, Ark., were married here by Justice of the Peace J. S. Wiley at the courthouse.

#### Kentucky Briefs

PADUCAH. Ky.—Announcement is made here of the marriage of Miss Stella Vinyard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vinyard, to James E. Crawford, of Rockford, Ill. Mr. Crawford, formerly of Carraville, Ky., is stationed with army forces at Camp Grant. The wedding took place here.

PADUCAH, Ky.—Of interest here I the announcement of the marriage o Mrs. Lillian Wade Root, formerly o this city. and Alexander Fowler, o Memphis, which took place in Memphis in the Central Baptist church. The Rev Ben Cox officiated. Mrs. Fowler is well known in Paducah. They will reside in Memphis.

PADUCAH, Ky.—Announcement is made of the appointment of Miss Caroline Mae Steele, of La Moure, North Dakota, as assistant in the Gradwohl Medical laboratory branch in this city. Miss Steele is a graduate of Valparaiso university with the degree of bachelor of science and is considered an expert in laboratory research work. pert in laboratory research work.

DANVILLE, Ky.—Telegrams from Resifoot Lake, Tenn., say McBrayer Moore, wealthy turfman of Danville, was dangerously shot while hunting. His family has gone to him.

DANVII.LE, Ky.—Profiting by an ex-perience three months ago, when Miss Luella Dye, night telephone operator,

rave the alarm and prevented the robbery of the People's bank of Hustonville, bank robbers cut every wire leading out of the telephone exchange before they blew the vault door off the First National bank, a block away, rifled every safety deposit box and escaped in an automobile. The boxes contained Liberty bonds, war savings stamps, other securities negotiable and non-negotiable, various valuables, whose worth is estimated at soveral thousand dollars.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—A sample of to-bacco which Jese White raised in Bar-rane county in 1869, has been placed in a cabinet at a local warehouse. White refused to sell his tobacco because Abraham Lincoln was elected and wowed he'd hold it till a Democratic president was elected. He did hold the crop until the election of Cleve-land in 1885, this history was attested when the sample was displayed at the exposition here 25 years ago.

MAYFIELD. Ky.—After loading a wagon with cordwood, Jack Pipper, rural mail carrier, complained of a sensation that something had given way in his body. Death, following shortly, was credited to peritonitis.

MADISONVILLE, Ky.—George Williams, 9, living at Nortonville, was earth treatmented on a charge of robbing rural provinces.

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mail boxes and brought here on an agreement that he would be taken out of the county. He was delivered to his

AUGUSTA, Ky.—W. S. Lytle, 76, was kicked by a horse he was driving. Later he got into his buggy and drove to his home at Caddo. Next day he refused to stay longer in the house and fell dead in his barn lot. A physician was summoned and found his neck was hroken.

VANCEBURG, Ky.—A car occupied by Oscar Forman, wife and four chil-dren, boited from the Saltlick pike at Hangman's Tree, tottered on the lip of the cliff and came to a balance against a small bush. Had the fall not been arrested all would have been dashed to death.

#### SLIDES FOLLOW QUAKE.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 13.—De-layed advices received here report the loss of several lives and injuries to a number of persons as the re-sult of great landslides which have occurred around the inactive vol-

**CASEORT AND JOINER** LEAD ARKANSAS SOLONS ( Xmas Suggestions

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 13.— Senator Lee Case...t. of Lamar, and Representative Joe Joiner, of Mag-nolia, will be presiding officers of the 1921 legislature, according to an-nouncement made here. Sen-ator Caseort has 24 of the 35 members of the senate pledged to vote for him for president of the senate, while Representative Joiner has 61 of the 100 members of the house pledged to support him for the speakership. Both men have had the support of the incoming administra-

JAPS PROTEST U. S. LAWS. TOKIO, Dec. 13.—A large mass neeting of students, members of the Students League of Japan, was held here. A resolution was adopted pro-testing to the world in the name of

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